

Notification – The Bays

9 December 2020

Sydney Metro is Australia's biggest public transport project.

New metro rail will become the fastest, easiest and most reliable journey between the Sydney and Parramatta CBDs. Sydney Metro West will service the key precincts of Greater Parramatta, Sydney Olympic Park, The Bays and the Sydney CBD.

Metro services started in 2019 in the city's North West with a train every four minutes in the peak. Metro rail will be extended into the CBD and beyond to Bankstown in 2024. Sydney Metro includes new underground CBD stations at Barangaroo, Martin Place and Pitt Street with new metro platforms under Central.

In 2024, Sydney Metro will have 31 stations on a new 66km standalone metro rail system – the biggest urban rail project in Australian history with ultimate capacity for a metro train every two minutes in each direction under the Sydney city centre.

Construction Update: The Bays

Line marking and Jemena gas main relocation: (Out-of-hours work)

Line marking and line removal work on Port Access Road, Sommerville Road and Solomons Way will be undertaken from Wednesday 16 December to Friday 18 December between 6pm-7am each night.

Jemena gas main relocation work will be undertaken along Solomons Way on Saturday 19 December between 1pm-5pm and Sunday 20 December between 8am-5pm. Due to the traffic utilising these roads, these works must be undertaken outside of standard construction hours.

Utilities relocation and construction: (Standard construction hours)

Work to construct a new truck parking area and relocate utilities is progressing. From January 2021, construction of a new stormwater drain and retaining wall will begin. Most work will be undertaken during standard construction hours Monday to Friday 7am – 5pm and Saturday 8am to 1pm. Neighbouring businesses will be notified of any out-of-hours works.

Work will involve:

- Delivering materials and equipment to site
- Undertaking site surveys
- Investigating existing services and relocating temporary services
- Milling out asphalt
- Removing existing retaining wall
- Preparing for new retaining wall construction, including concrete work
- Excavating, clearing and removing/stockpiling spoil.

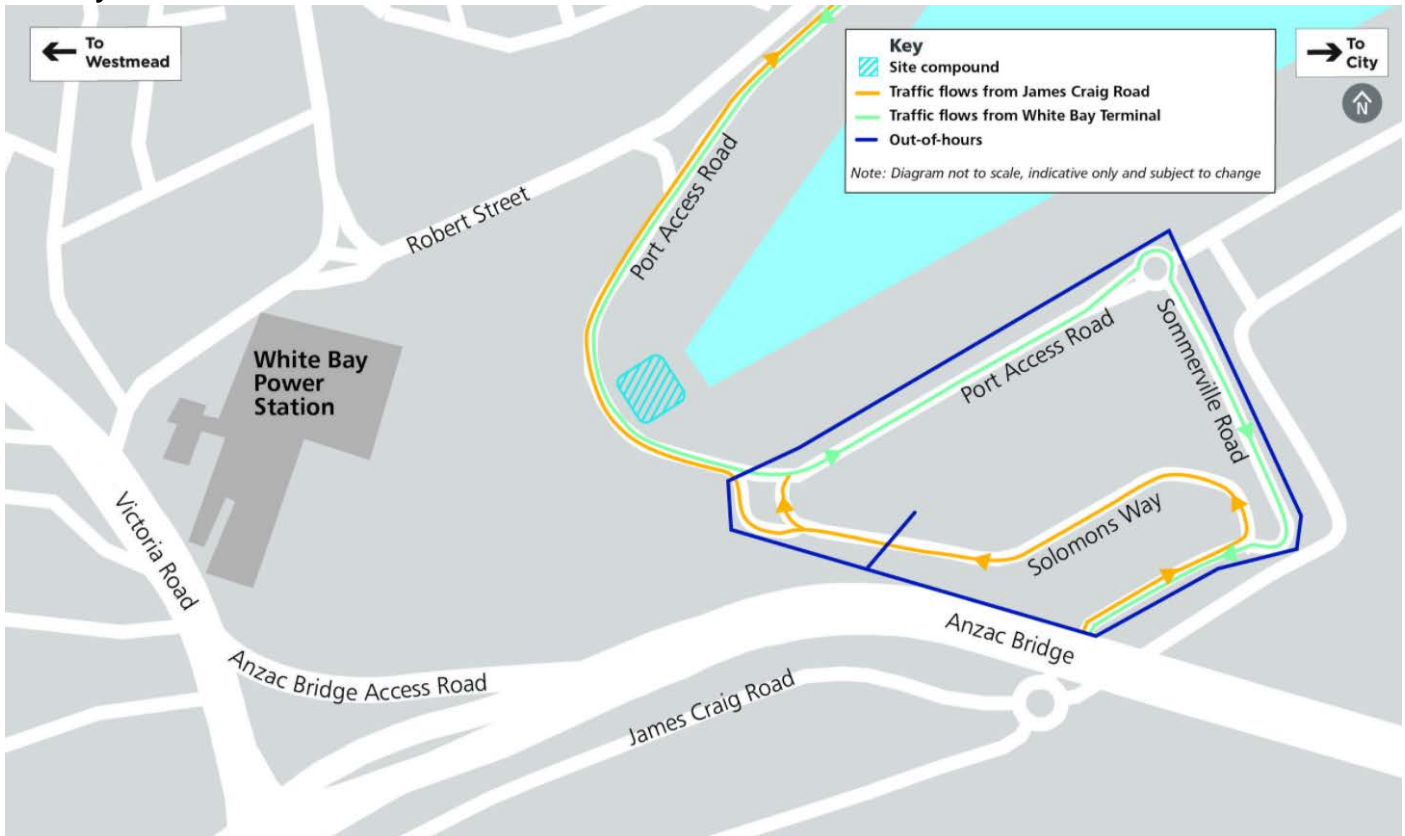
What to expect:

- The work will generate some noise but impact is expected to be minimal
- Increased truck movements
- Construction machinery and equipment operating onsite
- Traffic control and directional signage may be used for the safety of workers and the community
- Surveyors around local roads
- Watercarts and street sweepers managing dust as required.

Equipment used:

Equipment used includes but is not limited to; excavators, bob-saws, vacuum trucks, hand tools, temporary fencing, water carts, light vehicles and generators.

The Bays work area



There will be no construction activities at this site over the Christmas break from **Sunday 20 December 2020 to Friday 1 January 2021** inclusive. Work will recommence from Monday 4 January 2021. Security will monitor the site and manage environmental controls on site if required during this period.

Contact us:

Your local Place Manager for Sydney Metro West is Jenny Williams. Jenny will be your main contact for questions and enquiries regarding the project and can be contacted on 1800 612 173.

If you'd like to receive these update by email, please contact Jenny who can add you to the distribution list. Our email is: sydneymetrowest@transport.nsw.gov.au

Thank you for your cooperation while we complete these essential works.

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